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Your Comments: The proposed plan for the cleanup of the Portland Harbor is inadequate at best. "Monitored natural recovery" is a strategy that favors the polluters of our river by essentially doing nothing in the hope that the pollution will simply be covered over, or worse, flushed downstream. It is totally unacceptable to create a toxic-waste disposal IN THE RIVER! These toxic materials dredged from the river must be removed to a LANDFILL where the poison cannot re-enter the water. In addition, removal of the fish consumption advisory within 10 years must be a part of this plan. Finally, the corporations and other entities such as the City of Portland MUST be made to pay for a comprehensive cleanup of the superfund site. They have fouled our river and need to accept their responsibility to undue the years of pollution that now affect our community, our environment, and our wildlife.